

BOARD IS ELATED OVER CITY CLEANING

Women Are Well Satisfied,
With Work in Wash-
ington.

SCHOOL CHILDREN GIVE ASSISTANCE

Superintendent Stuart Urges Pu-
pils to Help in
Cleaning.

The women of the cleaner Wash-
ington committee are today well satisfied
with their work of yesterday. They
have folded their hands and are enjoy-
ing the results of the work.

"This doesn't mean, however, that our
hands are going to stay folded," said
one of them this morning, when speak-
ing of the success of Washington's first
spring cleaning day.

"On the other hand, we are so en-
couraged at the interest taken in the
movement by the people of the entire
city, that as soon as we feel reason-
ably sure these covers will stay on their
barrels, we are going to take up some
other phase of civic improvement that
is just as much needed."

Children Help.

With the permission of Superintendent
of Schools Stuart, the children of
many of the public schools of the city,
have taken part in the movement inau-
gurated by the cleaner Washington com-
mittee, of which Mrs. Frederick Coville
is chairman, and which has had from
the first its active co-operation of the
most prominent women's clubs of the
District. Many hundreds of cards were
distributed in the public schools in those
districts of the city in which there are
no women's clubs, and each child was
requested not only to deliver the card
to its mother, but to aid her in the
work of spring cleaning day.

Superintendent Stuart is enthusiastic
at the idea of the public school chil-
dren of Washington taking a lesson now
and then in civic improvement.

Ask Police Help.

"We wish to urge also the co-opera-
tion of the police department," said Mrs.
Coville, the chairman of the committee,
"in keeping up the good work begun
on spring cleaning day. In one of the
small parks on Pennsylvania avenue to-
day, I noticed that the ground was well
sprinkled with paper bags, banana
skins, and apple peels. We hope the
day will come in Washington when any
man, woman, or child will be afraid
to disfigure the streets by throwing
waste paper and fruit peelings on them."

More than 12,000 engraved cards were
distributed yesterday by the 500 or more
club women who paid calls from morn-
ing until night.

ATHLETICS SCORED BY DOCTOR THWING

College President Declares
They Are Cause of Intel-
lectual Decline.

That the athletic revival is a primary
cause for the lessening of the intellec-
tual side of college life and is a sign
of intellectual decline, is the opinion of
President Charles F. Thwing, of West-
ern Reserve University.

President Thwing made this statement
before the annual reunion of the West-
ern Reserve Alumni in Washington at
the Arlington Hotel last evening. The
address contained an arraignment
of luxurious college life of the present
generation and the speaker declared
athletics offset the better benefits of
college training.

"The athletic movement," he said,
while in many ways good, subtracts
from the interest in the historic aims
of the college. Athletics are sometimes,
but not as a rule, great scholars. They
may indeed be great executives, and
some of them become great business
men. The absorption, too, of many col-
lege men as sympathizers in athletic
interests does not tend toward the cre-
ation of intellectual atmosphere or
achievements."

The invasion of the business field by
college men was another factor cited
by Dr. Thwing as a destroyer of intel-
lectual life in present day colleges.

"The intellectual relationship of the
profession of the ministry or of the law
is more evident than it appears to be in
business. Men therefore entering col-
lege with the feeling that they are to
become merchants are less inclined to
regard the college as an intellectual
training school."

The third cause for the alleged intel-
lectual decline cited by Dr. Thwing is,
in his opinion, the increased number
of students drawn to each college.
This makes it impossible, he pointed
out, for an instructor to give any stu-
dent the personal attention he could
have bestowed under other circum-
stances.

The banquet last evening was ar-
ranged under the patronage of William
E. Curtis, president of the Washington
Alumni Association.

CITY DENIED RIGHT TO REMOVE TRACKS

New York Central Railroad Con-
firmed in Privilege of Operating
Cars on Eleventh Avenue.

NEW YORK, March 2.—New York city
lost the hardest fought battle of years
today when its right to oust the New
York Central Railroad from Eleventh
avenue, in what has been characterized
as the Death Avenue fight, was de-
nied by Referee Herrick.

For years the company has run its
freight trains into the lower part of the
city through the street and all efforts to
force the placing of the rails under-
ground failed. It is estimated that
more than one death a week occurred
on these tracks, and finally an ouster
suit was begun. Referee Herrick says
in his decision:

"These tracks are property of the rail-
road company, and were laid under a
franchise from the State. Therefore
the city has no right to remove the
tracks nor interfere with the company's
operations."

The case will be appealed.

FLIES THIRTY-EIGHT MILES.

CHALONS-SUR-MARNE, March 2.—
Lieutenant Camille, a French en-
gineer, made a flight of thirty-
eight miles in the Farman biplane
recently bought by the government.

ARE HELPING TO MAKE WASHINGTON A CLEAN CITY



RETAILERS PLANNING NEW ORGANIZATION

Alexandria Dealers Will
Meet This Evening at
Chamber of Commerce.

WASHINGTON TIMES BUREAU,
ALEXANDRIA, VA., MARCH 2.
At the Alexandria Chamber of Com-
merce this evening there will be a meet-
ing of the retail dealers in this city for
the purpose of organizing a Retail De-
alers' Association.

The objects of the association will be
to bring all retail merchants into closer
relations and thereby help the retail
business of the city, as the Chamber
of Commerce is an aid to the wholesale
business of the city.

The call for the meeting has been
issued by J. T. Preston, secretary of the
Chamber of Commerce, but it is stated
the new organization will have no con-
nection with the chamber.

It is expected that a majority of the
retail merchants of Alexandria will at-
tend the meeting.

Jeremiah J. Ryan, forty years of age,
died at his home, 302 Duke street, last
evening. Mr. Ryan about two weeks
ago contracted pneumonia. He was
for many years a clerk in the Washing-
ton-Southern railway office in this city,
but for later years had been employed
at the Potomac yards.

He was a member of Fitzgerald Coun-
cil, No. 459, Knights of Columbus, of
this city. No funeral arrangements
have yet been made.

Mrs. Jennie Henderson, fifty years of
age, wife of John T. Henderson, died
at her home, 918 Franklin street, this
morning. Her remains will be sent
to Fredericksburg tomorrow by Un-
dertaker Demaine.

Special Lenten services will be held
at Grace Protestant Episcopal Church
this evening at which the Rev. Mr.
Smith, of Washington, will deliver the
sermon.

Harry C. Tyler, son of William Tyler,
died at his home, 1104 Prince street,
yesterday. No funeral arrangements
have yet been made.

The Rev. A. B. Kinsolving, D. D., of
Baltimore, delivered the sermon at the
special services under the auspices of
the Junior Brotherhood of St. Andrew
at St. Paul's Protestant Episcopal
Church, last evening.

Thompson and Apple have sold for
John C. Hunter, to Daniel D. Thomp-
son, sixty-three acres of ground at
Hunter's Station, in Fairfax county.

TAX NOTICES SENT TO DELINQUENTS

Two-Year Redemption Period Ex-
pires March 16 for Those
of 1908.

Officials of the Assessor's office are
forwarding to delinquent taxpayers
whose property was sold for taxes
the annual tax sale of property be-
gins March 16 in the office of the Col-
lector of Taxes. Thousands of pieces
of property are sold at public auction,
the law providing that the property may
be redeemed by the owner within two
years upon payment of the amount of
the sale, plus 12 per cent interest a year.
If not redeemed within two years, deeds
to the property are granted by the Com-
missioners to the purchasers at the tax
sale.

The list of property to be sold this
year was completed recently by the Col-
lector of Taxes.

GULPS COIN AS PAPA DIES.

ALLENTOWN, Pa., March 2.—As Pat-
rick McHugh, a chauffeur, sank to death
from hemorrhages, his infant son began
to cry, and was soon in convulsions.
Becoming worse, he was removed to the
hospital, where the surgeon by means
of X-rays found he had swallowed a
quarter. Efforts are being made to
save the boy's life without an operation.

ALFONSO TO VISIT MELILLA.

SEVILLE, Spain, March 2.—King Al-
fonso, accompanied by his minister of
war, will start for Melilla, Morocco,
next week.

PLANS TO COMBINE AVIATORS' CLUBS

National Automobile Union
Distributes Circulars to
Get Members.

Circulars are being prepared by the
newly organized National Automobile
Union for distribution among the in-
dependent aeronautical clubs of the coun-
try.

The object of the union is to bring
into closer relationship small independ-
ent organizations. It will in no wise
interfere with the Aero Club of Amer-
ica.

Plans for the organization of the union
were agreed upon at a meeting of the
Aero Scientific Club in the Y. M. C. A.
building last night. It was the opinion
of those who attended the meeting that
there is room for the union, and that its
existence will accomplish much for the
betterment of aeronautics. E. P. Young,
president of the local club, said the for-
mation of the union would be the first
step toward a regular system of inter-
city meets throughout the country.

An interesting program is being plan-
ned by the local club for a spring meet-
ing at College Park or Eastley Heights,
when Washington aeronauts will be
given an opportunity to try out their
flying craft. A special committee is now
at work arranging the details of the
program.

An interesting lecture on automobile
engines was delivered at last night's
meeting by Samuel J. McFarren, a trac-
tion engineer.

AMES ESTATE LEFT TO GRANDCHILDREN

Property Valued at \$40,000 Will
Be Equally Distributed Among
Ten Heirs.

By the terms of the will of the late
John Griffith Ames, filed late yesterday,
the estate, valued at about \$40,000, is
left to the Washington Loan and Trust
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the benefit of ten grandchildren, each
of whom is to receive an equal share,
upon respectively attaining the age of
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WIRELESS MESSAGE FROM MINA GERAES

Brazilian Ship Said to Be
Off Capes and Near-
ing Port.

NORFOLK, Va., March 2.—Approach-
ing the Cape of Virginia in a dense
fog, under a reduced speed of only
about ten knots an hour the new Brazil-
ian dreadnaught battleship Minas Ge-
raes was this forenoon in wireless com-
munication with the Brazilian naval at-
tache at Old Point Comfort, through
the wireless station at the Norfolk
Navy Yard.

At the navy yard it was said that all
messages from the Minas Geraes to her
naval attache were in Portuguese code
and the exact position of the Brazilian
at sea could not be told, but it is ex-
pected that she will arrive in Hampton
Roads some time during the day or
tonight.

The Brazilian ship is coming from the
yards of her builders in Plymouth, En-
gland, and is to carry to Rio the body
of the late Brazilian ambassador at Wash-
ington.

Plans for Departure Delayed.

No further plans for the transporta-
tion of the body of the late Brazilian
Ambassador, Senhor Joaquim Nabuco
from this city to Norfolk will be made
until the State Department learns when
the captain of the Minas Geraes is ready
to sail.

This, it is expected, will not be for
several days, as the battleship will have
to be coaled before it leaves Hampton
Roads.

PLAN ANDERSON FUNERAL.

Funeral plans are being made today
for Henry D. Anderson, sixty-five years
old, who was drowned in the Eastern
Branch yesterday afternoon, when he
fell into the river after being stricken
with an epileptic fit. He sank immedi-
ately. The body was recovered an hour
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OPPOSED TO CHANGE IN RECORDING DEEDS

Chamber of Commerce Com-
mittee Expected to Report
Bill Adversely.

NEW INDEX SYSTEM NOT RETROACTIVE

Fear Proposed Conformation of
Conveyances to Assessor's Books
Would Be Confusing.

It is considered probable that the
special committee of the Chamber of
Commerce appointed to consider the
bill introduced in the Senate providing
for a change in the index system now in
force in the office of the District Re-
corder of Deeds, will report adversely
upon it, or else suggest a number of
changes in it.

This measure proposes to require the
recorder to index all conveyances ac-
cording to the books of the assessor's
office by instituting property designa-
tion instead of the name of individual.

The chamber's committee has met
several times during the month and has
conferred with real estate dealers and
title and deed experts. A meeting will
be held in the rooms of the chamber
Friday, and it is believed by members
of the committee that a definite conclu-
sion will then be reached, and a report
to the chamber prepared.

One feature of the bill found objec-
tionable in its failure to provide for the
application of the new index system to
the records of the past, instead of sim-
ply applying to the work of the future.
This, it has been pointed out, would
necessitate a double system, and would
give occasion for considerable more work
than is now the case, and would prob-
ably cause confusion.

Some objection is offered to the pro-
vision of the bill which allows the Re-
corder of Deeds to refuse to record any
deed that does not contain a description
of the property according to the plats of
the Assessor's Office. This would entail
great hardship, it is explained, because
these plats are not always available,
and are frequently changed.

LOUISVILLE AGREES WITH WASHINGTON

LOUISVILLE, March 2.—A county
grand jury that conducted an inquiry for
three weeks into the high cost of liv-
ing, has reported that its efforts were
futile. The report states that the prob-
lem is not local, but national.
It recommends as one step toward a
solution of the problem that cold storage
warehouses be compelled to make
monthly reports of the quantity of food-
stuffs on hand.

AMERICANS MEET KING.

LONDON, March 2.—At the king's
levee at St. James' Palace today, Am-
bassador Reid, who was accompanied
by the other members of the American
embassy, presented John L. Griffiths,
American consul general at London, and
R. N. Fairbanks, an American resident
in this city.

COMMERCE CHAMBER MAKES BIG GAINS

More Than 120 Members
Join Since Last Meet-
ing of Board.

In the matter of booming the mem-
bership of the Washington Chamber of
Commerce, the month of February has
been a remarkable one for that body.
All records for getting new members
have been broken.

Since the meeting of the board of di-
rectors of the Chamber on February 2,
more than 120 members have joined.
The membership committee, of which
E. H. Daniel is acting chairman, will
meet this afternoon and formally elect
twenty-one members. At the meeting
of this committee two weeks ago sev-
enty-six persons were elected and at the
meeting of the board February 2 more
than thirty were elected.

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